

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Contract Offer  
**RIVIP BIDDER CERTIFICATION COVER FORM**

**SECTION 1 - VENDOR INFORMATION**

**Bid/RFPNumber:** 7548901  
**Bid/RFP Title:** INSTALLATION OF STAIRCASE AT EAST PROVIDENCE MAINTENANCE FACILITY-DOT  
(21 PGS)  
**Opening Date & Time:** 8/20/2014 10:30 AM  
**RIVIP Vendor ID #:** 3102  
**Vendor Name:** M & J Construction Co., Inc.  
**Address:** 8 Zoar Street  
Johnston , RI 02919  
USA  
**Telephone:** (401) 272-4741  
**Fax:** (401) 272-4761  
**E-Mail:** rvigliotti@mandjconstructionco.com  
**Contact Person:** Russell Vigliotti  
**Title:** Project Manager  
**R.I. Foreign Corp #:**

**NOTICE TO VENDORS**

Each bid proposal for a *public works project* must include a "public copy" to be available for public inspection upon the opening of bids. **Bid proposals that do not include a copy for public inspection will be deemed nonresponsive.** For further information on how to comply with this statutory requirement, see R. I. Gen. Laws §§ 37-2-18(b) and (j). Also see Procurement Regulation 5.11, and in addition, for highway and bridge projects, also see Procurement Regulation 5.13, accessible at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov).

NOTE: AWARD OF CONTRACTS AND PURCHASE ORDERS SHALL BE SUBJECT, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PURCHASING AGENT, TO THE OFFEROR COMPLETING AN ON-LINE RIVIP REGISTRATION at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov). It is THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE VENDOR to make on-line corrections/updates using the Vendor maintenance program on the RI Division of Purchases Web Site.

**SECTION 2 – REQUIREMENTS**

**ALL OFFERS ARE SUBJECT TO THE REQUIREMENTS, PROVISIONS AND PROCEDURES CONTAINED IN THIS CERTIFICATION FORM. Offerors are expected to READ, SIGN and COMPLY WITH all requirements. Failure to do so may be grounds for disqualification of the offer contained herein.**

## Section 2.1 - RULES FOR SUBMITTING OFFERS

2.1A. This CERTIFICATION FORM MUST BE ATTACHED IN ITS ENTIRETY TO THE FRONT OF THE OFFER and shall be considered an integral part of each offer made by a vendor to enter into a contract with the State of Rhode Island, Division of Purchases. As such, submittal of the entire Bidder Certification Cover Form, signed by a duly authorized representative of the offeror attesting that he/she (1) has read and agrees to comply with the requirements set forth herein and (2) to the accuracy of the information provided and the offer extended, is a mandatory part of any contract award.

To assure that offers are considered on time, each offer must be submitted with the specific Bid/RFP/LOI number (provided above) and the date and time of opening marked in the upper left hand corner of envelope. Each bid/offer must be submitted in separate sealed envelopes.

A complete, signed (in ink) offer package must be delivered to the Division of Purchases (via any mail or messenger service) by the time and date specified for the opening of responses in a sealed envelope.

Bids must be submitted on the RI bid solicitation forms provided, indicating brand and part numbers of items offered, as appropriate. Bidders must submit detailed cuts and specs on items offered as equivalent to brands requested WITH THE OFFER. Bidders must be able to submit samples if requested. Mail To: Division of Purchases, One Capitol Hill, Second Floor, Providence, RI 02908-5855.

Documents misdirected to other State locations or which are not present in the Division of Purchases at the time of opening for whatever cause will be deemed to be late and will not be considered. For the purposes of this requirement, the official time and date shall be that of the time clock in the Division of Purchases. Postmarks shall not be considered proof of timely submission.

2.1B. RIVIP SOLICITATIONS. To assure maximum access opportunities for users, public bid/RFP solicitations shall be posted on the RIVIP for a minimum of seven days and no amendments shall be made within the last five days before the date an offer is due. Except when access to the Web Site has been severely curtailed and it is determined by the State Purchasing Agent that special circumstances preclude extending a solicitation due date, requests to mail or fax hard copies of solicitations will not be honored. When the result of an Internet solicitation is unsuccessful, the State of Rhode Island will cancel the original solicitation and resolicit the original offer directly from vendors.

2.2. PRICING. Offers are irrevocable for sixty (60) days from the opening date (or such other extended period set forth in the solicitation) and may not be withdrawn, except with the express permission of the State Purchasing Agent. All pricing will be considered to be firm and fixed unless otherwise indicated. The State of Rhode Island is exempt from Federal excise taxes and State Sales and Use Taxes. Such taxes shall not be included in the bid price. PRICES QUOTED ARE FOB DESTINATION.

2.3. DELIVERY and PRODUCT QUALITY. All offers must define delivery dates for all items; if no delivery date is specified, it is assumed that immediate delivery from stock will be made. The contractor will be responsible for delivery of materials in first class condition. Rejected materials will be at vendor's expense.

2.4. PREVAILING WAGE, OSHA SAFETY TRAINING, and APPRENTICESHIP REQUIREMENTS.

Bidders must comply with the provisions of the Rhode Island labor laws, including R. I. Gen. Laws §§ 37-13-1 *et seq.* and occupational safety laws, including R. I. Gen. Laws §§ 28-20-1 *et seq.* These laws mandate for public works construction projects the payment of prevailing wage rates, the implementation and maintenance of occupational safety standards, and for projects with a minimum value of \$1 Million, the employment of apprentices. The successful Bidder must submit certifications of compliance with these laws from each of its subcontractors prior to their commencement of any work. Prevailing wage rates, apprenticeship requirements, and other workforce and safety regulations are accessible at [www.dlt.ri.gov](http://www.dlt.ri.gov).

2.5. PUBLIC RECORDS. Offerors are advised that all materials submitted to the State for consideration in response to this solicitation will be considered without exception to be Public Records pursuant to Title 38 Chapter 2 of the Rhode Island General Laws, and will be released for inspection immediately upon request once an award has been made. Offerors are encouraged to attend public bid/RFP openings to obtain information; however, bid/RFP response summaries may be reviewed after award(s) have been made by using the RIVIP at any time or appearing in person at the Division of Purchases Mondays through Fridays between 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Telephone requests for results will not be honored. Written requests for results will only be honored if the information is not available on the RIVIP.

## SECTION 3 - AWARD DETERMINATION

Award will be made to the responsive and responsible offeror quoting the lowest net price in accordance with specifications, for any individual item(s), for major groupings of items, or for all items listed, at the State's sole option.

3.1. BID SURETY. Where bid surety is required, bidder must furnish a bid bond or certified check for 5% of the bid total with the bid, or for such other amount as may be specified. Bids submitted without a required bid surety will not be considered.

3.2. SPECIFICATIONS. Unless specified "no substitute," product offerings equivalent in quality and performance will be considered (at the sole option of the State) on the condition that the offer is accompanied by detailed product specifications. Offers which fail to include alternate specifications may be deemed nonresponsive.

## SECTION 4 – CONTRACT PROVISIONS

4.1. VENDOR AUTHORIZATION TO PROCEED.

4.1A. When a purchase order, change order, contract/agreement or contract/agreement amendment is issued by the RI Division of Purchases, no claim for payment for services rendered or goods delivered contrary to or in excess of the contract terms and scope shall be considered valid unless the vendor has obtained a written change order or contract amendment issued by the Division of Purchases PRIOR TO delivery.

4.1B. Any offer, whether in response to a solicitation for proposals or bids, or made without a solicitation, which is accepted in the form of an order OR Pricing Agreement made in writing by the Purchasing Agent, or a state official with purchasing authority delegated by the Purchasing Agent, shall be considered a binding contract.

4.2. REGULATIONS, GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING STATE CONTRACTS. This solicitation and any contract or purchase order arising from it are issued in accordance with the specific requirements described herein, and the State's Purchasing Laws and Regulations and other applicable State Laws. The Regulations, General Terms and Conditions are incorporated into all state contracts. These regulations and basic information on How To Do Business with the State of Rhode Island are posted on the Rhode Island Vendor Information Program Website ([www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov)).

4.2A. ARRA SUPPLEMENTAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS. Contracts and sub-awards funded in whole or in part by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub.L.No. 111-5 and any amendments thereto, such contracts and sub-awards, shall be subject to the Supplemental Terms and Conditions For Contracts and Sub-awards Funded in Whole or in Part by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub.L.No. 111-5 and any amendments thereto located on the Division of Purchases website at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov).

4.3. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY. Compliance certificate and agreement procedures will apply to all awards for supplies or services valued at \$10,000 and more. Minority Business Enterprise policies and procedures, including subcontracting opportunities as described in Title 37 Chapter 14.1, of the Rhode Island General Laws, also apply.

4.4. PERFORMANCE BONDS. Where indicated, successful bidder must furnish a 100% performance bond and labor and payment bond for contracts subject to Title 37 Chapters 12 and 13 of the Rhode Island General Laws. All bonds must be furnished by a surety company authorized to conduct business in the State of Rhode Island. Performance bonds must be submitted within 21 calendar days of the issuance of a tentative notice of award.

4.5. DEFAULT and NON-COMPLIANCE. Default and/or non-compliance with the RIVIP requirements and any other aspects of the award may result in withholding of payment(s), contract termination, debarment, suspension, or any other remedy necessary that is in the best interest of the state.

4.6. COMPLIANCE. Vendor must comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations and ordinances.

4.7. SPRINKLER IMPAIRMENT AND HOT WORK. The Contractor agrees to comply with the practices of the State's insurance carrier for sprinkler impairment and hot work. Prior to performing any work, the Contractor shall obtain the necessary information for compliance from the Risk Management Office at the Department of Administration or the agency for which work will be performed.

## SECTION 5 – CERTIFICATIONS AND DISCLOSURES

### ALL CONTRACT AWARDS ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING DISCLOSURES & CERTIFICATIONS

Offerors must respond to every disclosure statement.

A person authorized to enter into contracts must sign the offer and attest to the accuracy of all statements.

Indicate Yes (Y) or No (N):

- ☒ 1. State whether your company, or any owner, stockholder, officer, director, member, partner, or principal thereof, or any subsidiary or affiliated company, has been subject to suspension or debarment by any federal, state, or municipal government agency, or the subject of criminal prosecution, or convicted of a criminal offense within the previous five (5) years. If so, then provide details below.
- ☒ 2. State whether your company, or any owner, stockholder, officer, director, member, partner, or principal thereof, or any subsidiary or affiliated company, has had any contracts with a federal, state or municipal government agency terminated for any reason within the previous five (5) years. If so, then provide details below.
- ☒ 3. State whether your company or any owner, stockholder, officer, director, member, partner, or principal thereof, or any subsidiary or affiliated company, has been fined more than \$5000 for violation(s) of Rhode Island environmental laws by the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management within the previous five (5) years. If so, then provide details below.
- ☒ 4. I/we certify that I/we will immediately disclose, in writing, to the Chief Purchasing Officer any potential conflict of interest, which may occur during the course of the engagement authorized pursuant to this contract.
- ☒ 5. I/we acknowledge that, in accordance with Chapter 37-2-54(c) of the Rhode Island General Laws "no purchase or contract shall be binding on the state or any agency thereof unless approved by the Department [of Administration] or made under general regulations which the Chief Purchasing Officer may prescribe", including change orders and other types of contracts and under State Purchasing Regulation 8.2.1.1.2, "any alleged oral agreement or arrangements made by a bidder or contractor with any agency or an employee of the Office of Purchases may be disregarded and shall not be binding on the state".
- ☒ 6. I/we certify that I/we or my/our firm possesses all licenses required by Federal and State laws and regulations as they pertain to the requirements of the solicitation and offer made herein and shall maintain such required license(s) during the entire course of the contract resulting from the offer contained herein and should my/our license lapse or be suspended, I/we shall immediately inform the Rhode Island State Purchasing Agent in writing of such circumstance.
- ☒ 7. I/we certify that I/we will maintain required insurance during the entire course of the contract resulting from the offer contained herein and should my/our insurance lapse or be suspended, I/we shall immediately inform the Rhode Island State Purchasing Agent in writing of such circumstance.
- ☒ 8. I/we certify that I/we understand that falsification of any information herein or failure to notify the Rhode Island State Purchasing Agent as certified herein may be grounds for suspension, debarment and/or prosecution for fraud.
- ☒ 9. I/we acknowledge that the provisions and procedures set forth in this form apply to any contract arising from this offer.
- ☒ 10. I/we acknowledge that I/we understand the State's Purchasing Laws (37-2 of the General Laws of Rhode Island) and Purchasing Regulations and General Terms and Conditions available at the Rhode Island Division of Purchases Website ([www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov)) apply as the governing conditions for any contract or purchase order I/we may receive from the State of Rhode Island, including the offer contained herein.
- ☒ 11. I/we certify that the bidder: (i) is not identified on the General Treasurer's list, created pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 37-2.5-3, as a person or entity engaging in investment activities in Iran described in § 37-2.5-2(b); and (ii) is not engaging in any such investment activities in Iran.
- ☒ 12. I/we certify that the above vendor information is correct and complete.

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Michael J. Vigneri  
Vendor's Signature (Person authorized to enter into contracts; signature must be in ink.)

Date August 20, 2014

Name and Title of company official signing offer



# Request for Quote

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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
ONE CAPITOL HILL  
PROVIDENCE RI 02908

CREATION DATE : 23-JUL-14

BID NUMBER: 7548901

TITLE: INSTALLATION OF STAIRCASE AT EAST  
PROVIDENCE MAINTENANCE FACILITY-DOT

BID CLOSING DATE AND TIME: 20-AUG-2014 10:30:00

BUYER: Hill, Lisa  
PHONE #: 401-574-8118

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TWO CAPITOL HILL, RM 230  
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PROVIDENCE, RI 02903  
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DOT MAINTENANCE BUSINESS OFFICE  
360 LINCOLN AVE  
WARWICK, RI 02888  
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Requisition Number: 1375528

Line	Description	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1	<p>Questions concerning this solicitation must be received by the Division of Purchases at: <a href="mailto:lisa.hill@purchasing.ri.gov">lisa.hill@purchasing.ri.gov</a> no later than 8/13/14 at 5:00 PM (ET). Questions should be submitted in a Microsoft Word attachment. Please reference the RFQ #7548901 on all correspondence. Questions received, if any, will be posted on the Internet as an addendum to this solicitation. It is the responsibility of all interested parties to download this information.</p> <p>A PRE-BID CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD ON 8/7/14 AT 9:00 AM AT: DOT EAST PROVIDENCE MAINTENANCE FACILITY, 691 WARREN AVENUE, EAST PROVIDENCE, RI.</p> <p>DOT: TOTAL PRICE INCLUDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A STAIRCASE @ DOT EAST PROVIDENCE FACILITY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ATTACHED PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS</p> <p>INSTALLATION OF STAIRCASE AT DOT EAST PROVIDENCE FACILITY TO GAIN ACCESS TO THE SECOND LEVEL</p> <p>CONTACT: SONGHAP TAING 401-734-4855</p> <p>PREBID VIEWING IS ADVISED.</p>	1.00	Each		25,175 -

Delivery: \_\_\_\_\_

Terms of Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

It is the Vendor's responsibility to check and download any and all addenda from the RIVIP. This offer may not be considered unless a signed RIVIP generated Bidder Certification Cover Form is attached and the Unit Price column is completed. The signed Certification Cover Form must be attached to the front of the offer

**Contract Terms and Conditions**

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**Terms and Conditions**

**BID STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THIS BID**

**START DATE**

STARTING DATE UPON NOT NO. OF WORKING DAYS REQUIRED FOR COMPLETION

90 days

**WAGE REQUIREMENTS**

BIDDERS ARE ADVISED THAT ALL PROVISIONS OF TITLE 37 CHAPTER 13 OF THE GENERAL LAWS OF RHODE ISLAND APPLY TO THE WORK COVERED BY THIS REQUEST, AND THAT PAYMENT OF THE GENERAL PREVAILING RATE OF PER DIEM WAGES AND THE GENERAL PREVAILING RATE FOR REGULAR, OVERTIME, AND OTHER WORKING CONDITIONS EXISTING IN THE LOCALITY FOR EACH CRAFT, MECHANIC, TEAMSTER, OR TYPE OF WORKMAN NEEDED TO EXECUTE THIS WORK IS A REQUIREMENT FOR BOTH CONTRACTORS AND SUBCONTRACTORS. THE PREVAILING WAGE TABLE MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE RI DIVISION OF PURCHASES HOME PAGE BY INTERNET at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov). SELECT "BIDDING INFORMATION", THEN "GENERAL INFORMATION", AND THEN SELECT "PREVAILING WAGE TABLES". PRINTING THE ENTIRE DOCUMENT AVERAGES APPROXIMATELY ONE MINUTE PER PAGE - YOU MAY WANT TO PRINT ONLY THE PAGES APPLICABLE TO YOUR BID. BIDDERS NOTE: IN THE EVENT THIS BID SPECIFIES PRICE OFFERS ON A TIME-AND-MATERIALS BASIS, i.e., AN HOURLY RATE, ANY OR ALL BIDS SUBMITTED IN AN AMOUNT LESS THAN THE PREVAILING RATE IN EFFECT FOR THE WORK COVERED BY THIS REQUEST AS OF THE DATE OF BID ISSUANCE SHALL BE REJECTED BY THE DIVISION OF PURCHASES.

**INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

AN INSURANCE CERTIFICATE IN COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF ITEM 31 (INSURANCE) OF THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF PURCHASE IS REQUIRED FOR COMPREHENSIVE GENERAL LIABILITY, AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY, AND WORKERS' COMPENSATION AND MUST BE SUBMITTED BY THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER(S) TO THE DIVISION OF PURCHASES PRIOR TO AWARD. THE INSURANCE CERTIFICATE MUST NAME THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AS CERTIFICATE HOLDER AND AS AN ADDITIONAL INSURED. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE PROVISIONS MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF THE OFFEROR'S BID. ANNUAL RENEWAL CERTIFICATES MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE AGENCY IDENTIFIED ON THE PURCHASE ORDER. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY BE GROUNDS FOR CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT.

NOTE: IF THIS BID COVERS CONSTRUCTION, SCHOOL BUSING, HAZARDOUS WASTE, OR VESSEL OPERATION, APPLICABLE COVERAGES FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST MUST ALSO BE SUBMITTED TO THE DIVISION OF PURCHASES PRIOR TO AWARD: \* PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE (AKA ERRORS & OMISSIONS) - \$1 MILLION OR 5% OF ESTIMATED PROJECT COST, WHICHEVER IS GREATER. \* BUILDER'S RISK INSURANCE - COVERAGE EQUAL TO FACE AMOUNT OF CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION. \* SCHOOL BUSING - AUTO LIABILITY COVERAGE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5 MILLION. \* ENVIRONMENTAL IMPAIRMENT (AKA POLLUTION CONTROL) - \$1 MILLION OR 5% OF FACE AMOUNT OF CONTRACT, WHICHEVER IS GREATER. \* VESSEL OPERATION - (MARINE OR AIRCRAFT) - PROTECTION & INDEMNITY COVERAGE REQUIRED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1 MILLION.

**RIVIP INFO - BID SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

It is the Vendor's responsibility to check and download any and all addenda from the RIVIP. This offer may not be considered unless a signed RIVIP generated Bidder Certification Cover Form is attached and the Unit Price column is completed. The signed Certification Cover Form must be attached to the front of the offer. When delivering offers in person to One Capitol Hill, vendors are advised to allow at least one hour additional time for clearance through security checkpoints.

**MAILING ADDRESS FOR BID PROPOSALS ISSUED BY THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND,  
DIVISION OF PURCHASES**

All Bid Proposals must be submitted by mail or hand delivered to:

- State of Rhode Island
- Department of Administration
- Division of Purchases, Second floor
- One Capitol Hill
- Providence, RI 02908-5855

**DIVESTITURE OF INVESTMENTS IN IRAN REQUIREMENT:**

No vendor engaged in investment activities in Iran as described in R.I. Gen. Laws §37-2.5-2(b) may submit a bid proposal to, or renew a contract with, the Division of Purchases. Each vendor submitting a bid proposal or entering into a renewal of a contract is required to certify that the vendor does not appear on the list maintained by the General Treasurer pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws §37-2.5-3.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Department of Administration  
DIVISION OF PURCHASES  
One Capitol Hill  
Providence, RI 02908-5855

Tel: (401) 574-8100  
Fax: (401) 574-8387  
Website: [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov)

**DIVISION OF PURCHASES  
INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS  
PUBLIC WORKS SERVICES (PWS)**

**Offer to Contract**

All bid proposals are subject to and constitute an offer to contract with the State of Rhode Island through the Division of Purchases on the terms and conditions contained in this solicitation, any addenda, applicable federal and municipal law, and the laws of the State of Rhode Island, including all procurement statutes and regulations (available at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov)), all of which are incorporated by this reference into any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation.

**The terms and conditions in these Division of Purchases Public Works Bid Clauses supersede any and all inconsistent or conflicting terms and conditions in any other provision of any other document in this solicitation and shall govern this solicitation and the award of any contract pursuant to this solicitation.**

**Noncompliance**

Bidders must comply with all requirements. Any failure to comply may result, at the discretion of the State Purchasing Agent, in the disqualification of the bid proposal.

Failure of the successful bidder to comply with the terms and conditions of the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation may result in nonpayment, termination of the contract, suspension or debarment of the bidder, or any other necessary or appropriate remedy in the sole discretion of the State Purchasing Agent.

### **Addenda**

Bidders are responsible for checking for addenda, all of which become incorporated into this solicitation upon posting on the Division of Purchases website at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov). No addenda will be posted within the 5-day period preceding the submission date for bid proposals.

### **Apprenticeship**

The successful bidder must employ apprentices on this project (if the value of the project is at least \$1 Million) in accordance with the apprentice to journeyperson ratio for each trade approved by the State Apprenticeship Council. Specific information is available at [www.dlt.ri.gov/apprenticeship](http://www.dlt.ri.gov/apprenticeship).

### **Award**

The State Purchasing Agent, in his or her sole discretion, will award the contract pursuant to this solicitation to the responsive and responsible bidder who submits the lowest responsive and responsible bid. A binding contract between the State of Rhode Island and the successful bidder will be formed only by the issuance of a Purchase Order by the Division of Purchases.

### **Bid Proposal Submission**

Each bid proposal (a complete package, with the signed Bidder Certification Cover Form) must be submitted in a *separate sealed envelope* with the specific "Bid Number" and the "Submission Date and Time" marked in the upper left-hand corner of the envelope.

The bid proposal must be delivered to the Division of Purchases (via mail or messenger service) by the date and time specified for the submission of bid proposals. Bidders should allow at least one hour additional time for parking and clearance through security checkpoints when delivering a bid proposal in person or by messenger. Bids must be addressed to:

Rhode Island Department of Administration  
Division of Purchases  
One Capitol Hill, Second Floor  
Providence, RI 02908-5855

Bid proposals that are not present in the Division of Purchases at the date and time specified for the submission of bid proposals for whatever reason will be deemed late and will not be considered. The submission time will be determined by the time clock in the Division of Purchases. Postmarks will not be considered proof of timely submission.

### **Contractors Registration**

The bidder must have and maintain a valid certificate of registration issued by the Contractors' Registration Board throughout the term of the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation and ensure that its subcontractors, unless exempt from registration, also obtain and maintain valid certificates of registration.

### **Divestiture of Investments in Iran Requirement**

No bidder engaged in investment activities in Iran as described in R.I. Gen. Laws §37-2.5-2(b) may submit a bid proposal to, or renew a contract with, the Division of Purchases. Each bidder submitting a bid proposal or entering into a renewal of a contract is required to certify that the bidder does not appear on the list maintained by the General Treasurer pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 37-2.5-3.

### **Domestic Steel**

Any steel products required by the plans and specifications in this solicitation must be fabricated or processed from steel made in the United States.

### **Equal Opportunity**

The successful bidder must demonstrate a commitment to equal opportunity and submit an affirmative action plan for review by the State Equal Opportunity Office.

### **Foreign Corporations**

No foreign corporation may transact business in the State of Rhode Island until it shall have obtained a Certificate of Authority from the Rhode Island Secretary of State. The successful bidder will be required to provide a Good Standing Certificate issued by the Rhode Island Secretary of State within the 10-day period following the tentative letter of award.

### **Inspection**

The bidder is responsible for carefully reviewing all of the requirements of this solicitation, inspecting the project site, including (without limitation) checking and/or verifying measurements, site conditions, any limitations, and other details, prior to preparing and submitting its bid proposal.

## **Insurance**

The successful bidder must submit a certificate of insurance that references the solicitation number and names the State of Rhode Island as "certificate holder" and as "additional insured" upon the issuance of the tentative letter of award, on an annual basis during the term of the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation, and from time to time upon request. The certificate of insurance must state that 20 days' advance notice of cancellation will be sent to: Rhode Island Department of Administration, Division of Purchases, One Capitol Hill, Providence, Rhode Island 02908-5855, fax # 401-574-8387, and provide evidence of the following specific types and amounts of insurance:

<b><u>Type of Insurance</u></b>	<b><u>Amount of Coverage</u></b>
<b>Comprehensive General Liability</b>	
Bodily injury	\$1 Million each occurrence \$1 Million annual aggregate
Property damage	\$500,000 each occurrence \$500,000 annual aggregate
Independent contractors Contractual (including construction "hold harmless" and other types of Contracts or agreements in effect for insured operations) Completed operations Personal injury (with employee exclusion deleted)	
<b>Automobile Liability</b>	
Combined Single Limit	\$1 Million each occurrence
Bodily injury, property damage, including non owned and/or hired vehicles and equipment	
<b>Workers Compensation</b>	
Coverage B	\$100,000

The State Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept alternate forms and plans of insurance and/or to require additional or more extensive coverage.

### **Licenses**

The successful bidder and anyone performing any work on the contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation must possess all of the licenses required by any governmental authority to perform such work.

### **Minority Business Enterprises**

Respondents should be aware of all applicable MBE requirements, as set forth in R. I. Gen. Law § 37-14.1-1, et seq. The State's goal is for a minimum ten per cent (10%) participation by MBE's in all State procurements. For further information, contact the State MBE Administrator at (401) 574-8253 or [charles.newton@doa.ri.gov](mailto:charles.newton@doa.ri.gov), Visit the website <http://www.mbe.ri.gov/>

### **Occupational Safety**

The successful bidder must ensure (if the total project cost is at least \$100,000) that all employees at the project site possess a card issued by the United States Department of Labor certifying successful completion of an OSHA ten (10) hour construction safety program.

### **Payment and Performance Bonds**

The successful bidder must furnish a 100% payment and performance bond from a surety licensed to conduct business in the State of Rhode Island upon the tentative award of the contract.

### **Prebid Conference**

Bidders must attend a mandatory prebid conference and are encouraged to attend a nonmandatory prebid conference. The bidder's representative must register with the Division of Purchases at the mandatory prebid conference and identify the bidder he or she represents.

### **Public Copy**

Each bid proposal must include a "public copy" to be available for public inspection upon the opening of bids. For further information on how to comply with this statutory requirement, see R. I. Gen. Laws § 37-2-18(b), Procurement Regulation 5.11, and in addition, for highway and bridge projects, also see Procurement Regulation 5.13, accessible at [www.purchasing.ri.gov](http://www.purchasing.ri.gov).

### **Reservation of Rights**

The Division of Purchases reserves the right to revoke, suspend, or terminate this solicitation at any time in its sole discretion.

### **Subcontractors**

The bidder must demonstrate that it is able to perform a substantial portion of the work using its own workforce. Any bidder that does not maintain a permanent workforce and/or proposes to perform a disproportionate amount of the work through one or more subcontractors will be considered unqualified. The Division of Purchases reserves the right to reject any such bid proposal.

### **Substitutions**

Products specified in this solicitation establish a standard of quality, performance, dimension, function, and appearance. Proposed substitutions must meet the standard and will not be considered without the prior written approval of the Division of Purchases. A request for substitution must include the detailed information necessary for a comprehensive evaluation.

### **Taxes**

The State of Rhode Island is exempt from federal excise taxes and state sales and use taxes. The bidder shall not include such taxes in any prices in the bid proposal.

### **Termination**

The Division of Purchases reserves the right to terminate any contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation at any time, for any reason, with or without cause.

## **Wages**

### ***For contracts that total less than \$1 Million***

The successful bidder and its subcontractors must pay their workers at the applicable prevailing wage rates (for the various trades) on a weekly basis, pay one and one-half times the applicable prevailing wage rates to any worker who works more than 40 hours in any one week or more than 8 hours in any one day, and submit certified weekly payroll forms on a monthly basis to the agency. Prevailing wage posters and rate schedules, available at the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training website at [www.dlt.ri.gov](http://www.dlt.ri.gov), must be posted at the project site.

### ***For contracts that may total \$1 Million or Greater***

The successful bidder and its subcontractors must pay their workers at the applicable prevailing wage rates for the various trades on a weekly basis, pay one and one-half times the applicable prevailing wage rates to any worker who works more than 40 hours in any one week or more than 8 hours in any one day, submit certified weekly payroll forms on a monthly basis to the agency, and maintain (for contracts totaling \$1 Million or more) a certified prevailing wage daily log at the project site. Prevailing wage posters and rate schedules, available at the Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training website at [www.dlt.ri.gov](http://www.dlt.ri.gov), must be posted at the project site.

## **Withdrawal**

Bid proposals are irrevocable for a period of 60 days following the due date for their submission.



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**STATE CONTRACT ADDENDUM**

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND TRAINING**

**PREVAILING WAGE REQUIREMENTS  
(37-13-1 ET SEQ.)**

The prevailing wage requirements are generally set forth in RIGL 37-13-1 et seq. These requirements refer to the prevailing rate of pay for regular, holiday, and overtime wages to be paid to each craftsmen, mechanic, teamster, laborer, or other type of worker performing work on public works projects when state or municipal funds exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

All Prevailing Wage Contractors and Subcontractors are required to:

1. Submit to the Awarding Authority a list of the contractor's subcontractors for any part or all of the prevailing wage work in accordance with RIGL § 37-13-4;
2. Pay all prevailing wage employees at least once per week and in accordance with RIGL §37-13-7 (see Appendix B attached);
3. Post the prevailing wage rate scale and the Department of Labor and Training's prevailing wage poster in a prominent and easily accessible place on the work site in accordance with RIGL §37-13-11; posters may be downloaded at [www.dlt.ri.gov/pw/Posters.htm](http://www.dlt.ri.gov/pw/Posters.htm) or obtained from the Department of Labor and Training, Center General Complex, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Cranston, Rhode Island;
4. Access the Department of Labor and Training website, at [www.dlt.ri.gov](http://www.dlt.ri.gov) on or before July 1st of each year, until such time as the contract is completed, to ascertain the current prevailing wage rates and the amount of payment or contributions for each covered prevailing wage employee and make any necessary adjustments to the covered employee's prevailing wage rates effective July 1st of each year in compliance with RIGL §37-13-8;
5. Attach a copy of this CONTRACT ADDENDUM and its attachments as a binding obligation to any and all contracts between the contractor and any

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subcontractors and their assignees for prevailing wage work performed pursuant to this contract;

6. Provide for the payment of overtime for prevailing wage employees who work in excess of eight (8) hours in any one day or forty (40) hours in any one week as provided by RIGL §37-13-10;
7. Maintain accurate prevailing wage employee payroll records on a Rhode Island Certified Weekly Payroll form available for download at [www.dlt.ri.gov/pw.forms/htm](http://www.dlt.ri.gov/pw.forms/htm), as required by RIGL §37-13-13, and make those records available to the Department of Labor and Training upon request;
8. Furnish the fully executed RI Certified Weekly Payroll Form to the awarding authority on a monthly basis for all work completed in the preceding month.
9. For general or primary contracts one million dollars (\$1,000,000) or more, shall maintain on the work site a fully executed RI Certified Prevailing Wage Daily Log listing the contractor's employees employed each day on the public works site; the RI Certified Prevailing Wage Daily Log shall be available for inspection on the public works site at all times; this rule shall not apply to road, highway, or bridge public works projects. Where applicable, furnish both the Rhode Island Certified Prevailing Wage Daily Log together with the Rhode Island Weekly Certified Payroll to the awarding authority.
10. Assure that all covered prevailing wage employees on construction projects with a total project cost of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) or more has a OSHA ten (10) hour construction safety certification in compliance with RIGL § 37-23-1;
11. Employ apprentices for the performance of the awarded contract when the contract is valued at one million dollars (\$1,000,000) or more, and comply with the apprentice to journey person ratio for each trade approved by the apprenticeship council of the Department of Labor and Training in compliance with RIGL §37-13-3.1;
12. Assure that all prevailing wage employees who perform work which requires a Rhode Island trade license possess the appropriate Rhode Island trade license in compliance with Rhode Island law; and

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13. Comply with all applicable provisions of RIGL §37-13-1, et. seq;

Any questions or concerns regarding this CONTRACT ADDENDUM should be addressed to the contractor or subcontractor's attorney. Additional Prevailing Wage information may be obtained from the Department of Labor and Training at [www.dlt.ri.gov/pw](http://www.dlt.ri.gov/pw).

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that I have reviewed this CONTRACT ADDENDUM and understand my obligations as stated above.

By: Michael S. Vigliotti

Title: Michael S. Vigliotti, President

Subscribed and sworn before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 2014

Joseph A. Vigliotti  
Notary Public  
My commission expires: 5/25/17

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## APPENDIX A

# TITLE 37 Public Property and Works

## CHAPTER 37-13 Labor and Payment of Debts by Contractors

### SECTION 37-13-5

**§37-13-5 Payment for trucking or materials furnished - Withholding of sums due.** -A contractor or subcontractor on public works authorized by a proper authority shall pay any obligation or charge for trucking and material which have been furnished for the use of the contractor or subcontractor, in connection with the public works being performed by him or her, within ninety (90) days after the obligation or charge is incurred or the trucking service has been performed or the material has been delivered to the site of the work, whichever is later. When it is brought to the notice of the proper authority in a city or town, or the proper authority in the state having supervision of the contract, that the obligation or charge has not been paid by the contractor or subcontractor, the proper authority may deduct and hold for a period not exceeding sixty (60) days, from sums of money due to the contractor or subcontractor, the equivalent amount of such sums certified by a trucker or materialman creditor as due him or her, as provided in this section, and which the proper authority determines is reasonable for trucking performed or materials furnished for the public works.

**APPENDIX B**

**TITLE 37**

**Public Property and Works**

**CHAPTER 37-13**

**Labor and Payment of Debts by Contractors**

**SECTION 37-13-7**

**§ 37-13-7 Specification in contract of amount and frequency of payment of wages.**

-(a) Every call for bids for every contract in excess of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), to which the state of Rhode Island or any political subdivision thereof or any public agency or quasi-public agency is a party, for construction, alteration, and/or repair, including painting and decorating, of public buildings or public works of the state of Rhode Island or any political subdivision thereof, or any public agency or quasi-public agency and which requires or involves the employment of employees, shall contain a provision stating the minimum wages to be paid various types of employees which shall be based upon the wages that will be determined by the director of labor and training to be prevailing for the corresponding types of employees employed on projects of a character similar to the contract work in the city, town, village, or other appropriate political subdivision of the state of Rhode Island in which the work is to be performed. Every contract shall contain a stipulation that the contractor or his or her subcontractor shall pay all the employees employed directly upon the site of the work, unconditionally and not less often than once a week, and without subsequent deduction or rebate on any account, the full amounts accrued at time of payment computed at wage rates not less than those stated in the call for bids, regardless of any contractual relationships which may be alleged to exist between the contractor or subcontractor and the employees, and that the scale of wages to be paid shall be posted by the contractor in a prominent and easily accessible place at the site of the work; and the further stipulation that there may be withheld from the contractor so much of the accrued payments as may be considered necessary to pay to the employees employed by the contractor, or any subcontractor on the work, the difference between the rates of wages required by the contract to be paid the employees on the work and the rates of wages received by the employees and not refunded to the contractor, subcontractors, or their agents.

(b) The terms "wages", "scale of wages", "wage rates", "minimum wages", and "prevailing wages" shall include:

(1) The basic hourly rate of pay; and

(2) ) The amount of:

(A) The rate of contribution made by a contractor or subcontractor to a trustee or to a third person pursuant to a fund, plan, or program; and

(B) The rate of costs to the contractor or subcontractor which may be reasonably anticipated in providing benefits to employees pursuant to an enforceable commitment to carry out a financially responsible plan or program which was communicated in writing to the employees affected, for medical or hospital care, pensions on retirement or death, compensation for injuries or illness resulting from occupational activity, or insurance to provide any of the foregoing, for unemployment benefits, life insurance, disability and sickness insurance, or accident insurance, for vacation and holiday pay, for defraying costs of apprenticeship or other similar programs, or for other bona fide fringe benefits, but only where the contractor or subcontractor is not required by other federal, state, or local law to provide any of the benefits; provided, that the obligation of a contractor or subcontractor to make payment in accordance with the prevailing wage determinations of the director of labor and training insofar as this chapter of this title and other acts incorporating this chapter of this title by reference are concerned may be discharged by the making of payments in cash, by the making of contributions of a type referred to in subsection (b)(2), or by the assumption of an enforceable commitment to bear the costs of a plan or program of a type referred to in this subdivision, or any combination thereof, where the aggregate of any payments, contributions, and costs is not less than the rate of pay described in subsection (b)(1) plus the amount referred to in subsection (b)(2).

(c) The term "employees", as used in this section, shall include employees of contractors or subcontractors performing jobs on various types of public works including mechanics, apprentices, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers engaged in the transportation of gravel or fill to the site of public works, the removal and/or delivery of gravel or fill or ready-mix concrete, sand, bituminous stone, or asphalt flowable fill from the site of public works, or the transportation or removal of gravel or fill from one location to another on the site of public works, and the employment of the employees shall be subject to the provisions of subsections (a) and (b).

(d) The terms "public agency" and "quasi-public agency" shall include, but not be limited to, the Rhode Island industrial recreational building authority, the Rhode Island economic development corporation, the Rhode Island airport corporation, the Rhode Island industrial facilities corporation, the Rhode Island refunding bond authority, the Rhode Island housing and mortgage finance corporation, the Rhode Island resource recovery corporation, the Rhode Island public transit authority, the Rhode Island student loan authority, the water resources board corporate, the Rhode Island health and education building corporation, the Rhode Island higher education assistance authority, the Rhode Island turnpike and bridge authority, the Narragansett Bay water quality management district commission, Rhode Island telecommunications authority, the convention center authority, the board of governors for higher education, the board of regents for elementary and secondary education, the capital center commission, the housing resources commission, the Quonset Point-Davisville management corporation, the Rhode Island children's crusade for higher education, the Rhode Island depositors economic protection corporation, the Rhode Island lottery commission, the Rhode Island

partnership for science and technology, the Rhode Island public building authority, and the Rhode Island underground storage tank board.

**INDUSTRIAL STAIRCASE  
EAST PROVIDENCE MAINTENANCE FACILITY  
EAST PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND**

**Description of Work:** The RIDOT Division of Highway and Bridge Maintenance desires to acquire an industrial grade staircase and install it inside the East Providence Maintenance Facility located on 691 Warren Avenue in the City of East Providence. The staircase shall provide access from the floor of the maintenance garage to a second floor storage space above the office area. Generally the work consists of removal of a concrete filled steel bollard, relocation of electrical conduit and an employee time clock station, fabrication, delivery and installation of the new staircase complete in place.

The major components of the upgrade include the following:

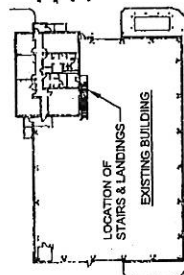
1. Removal of one concrete filled steel bollard. Bollard shall be cut off flush to the floor.
2. Removal, relocation and remounting of an employee time clock.
3. Removal, relocation and remounting of two employee time card holders.
4. Removal, relocation and remounting of an alarm panel and alarm horn.
5. Removal, relocation and remounting of a heart station cabinet.
6. Relocation of electrical receptacle and associated electrical conduit.
7. Design and fabrication of open stairway conforming to the dimensions and details shown on the enclosed drawings. Stairs shall be constructed with open risers, steel grating treads and steel grating landing platforms. The entire stairway structure, including stair treads, landing platforms, railing system, column supports and fastenings shall be galvanized. Shop drawings shall be submitted to RIDOT for review and approval prior to fabrication of the stairs.
8. Provide a sign with the message stating "MAXIMUM FLOOR LOADING SHALL NOT EXCEED 125 LBS. PER S.F." The sign shall be 18" x 30" fabricated of durable plastic, 1/8" thick with yellow background and black lettering. Lettering shall be minimum 2" high with text centered on the sign. Sign shall be mounted on the exterior of the entrance door to the storage area.

The contractor is advised to review the plans and details accompanying this document and to visit the site before submitting his bid. The Contractor is responsible for acquiring all applicable permits and contacting Dig Safe prior to construction. The contractor shall schedule his work and coordinate all activities with the East Providence Maintenance Facility Superintendent, Mr. Dennis Doyle, so as not to interfere with the RIDOT maintenance operations. Mr. Doyle can be reached at (401) 431-5401.

**NOTE:**  
THE LOCATION OF EXISTING CONDUIT TO  
BE RELOCATED SHALL BE DETERMINED IN  
THE FIELD AND COORDINATED WITH  
BRIQF PRIOR TO DOING THE WORK.

**KEY PLAN**  
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STORAGE AREA STAIRS & LANDINGS PLANS, ELEVATIONS & NOTES	SCALE: AS NOTED DATE: 01-31-14	EAST PROVIDENCE JOB NUMBER: 1449
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Architectural drawing showing a storage area and stairs. The storage area is labeled "STORAGE AREA" and "OPEN TO BELOW". The stairs are labeled "STAIRS". The drawing includes dimensions: 1'-0" and 4'-0".

1'-3"

4'-0"

SAWCUT & DISPOSE EXIST. BOLLARD

LANDING & EXISTING SECOND FLOOR DOOR

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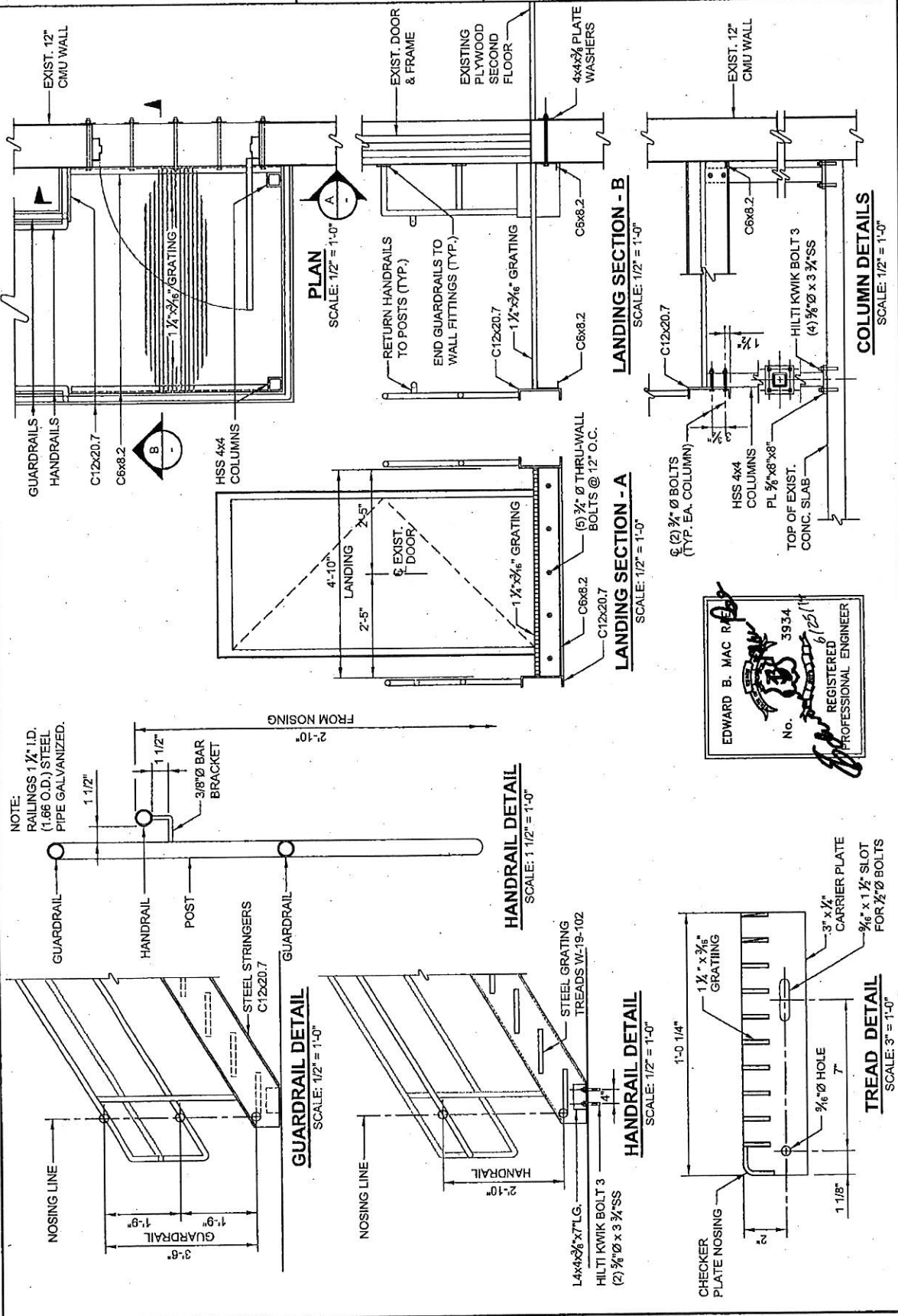
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REGISTERED  
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER

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## Bid Bond

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we M & J Construction Co., Inc.  
8 Zoar Street, Johnston, RI 02919  
as Principal, hereinafter called the Principal, and North American Specialty Insurance Company  
650 Elm Street, Manchester, NH 03101  
a corporation duly organized under the laws of State of NH

as Surety, hereinafter called the Surety, are held and firmly bound unto

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

One Capitol Hill, Providence, RI 02908

as Oblige, hereinafter called the Oblige, in the sum of

Five Percent of Amount Bid Dollars (\$ 5% ),

for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made, the said Principal and the said Surety, bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS, the Principal has submitted a bid for

Installation of Staircase at East Providence Maintenance Facility-DOT Bid Number 7548901

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Oblige shall accept the bid of the Principal and the Principal shall enter into a Contract with the Oblige in accordance with the terms of such bid, and give such bond or bonds as may be specified in the bidding or Contract Documents with good and sufficient surety for the faithful performance of such Contract and for the prompt payment of labor and material furnished in the prosecution hereof, or in the event of the failure of the Principal to enter such Contract and give such bond or bonds, if the Principal shall pay to the Oblige the difference not to exceed the penalty hereof between the amount specified in said bid and such larger amount for which the Oblige may in good faith contract with another party to perform the Work covered by said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Signed and sealed this 20th of August, 2014.

M & J Construction Co., Inc.

(Principal)

(Seal)

(Witness)

BY:

Michael S. Vigliotti, President

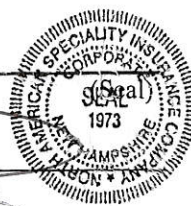
North American Specialty Insurance Company

(Surety)

BY:

William F. Hertel

(Title) Attorney-in-Fact



NAS SURETY GROUP

NORTH AMERICAN SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY  
WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY

GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT North American Specialty Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under laws of the State of New Hampshire, and having its principal office in the City of Manchester, New Hampshire, and Washington International Insurance Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Hampshire and having its principal office in the City of Schaumburg, Illinois each does hereby make, constitute and appoint: William F. Hertel

Its true and lawful Attorney-in-Fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver, for and on its behalf and as its act and deed, the following surety bond:

**Principal:** M & J Construction Co., Inc.

**Bond Number:** Bid Bond

**Obligee:** State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

**Bond Amount:** See Bond Form

**Bond Description:** Installation of Staircase at East Providence Maintenance Facility-DOT Bid Number 7548901

Provided that no bond or undertaking or contract of suretyship executed under this authority shall exceed the amount of:

FIFTY MILLION (\$50,000,000) DOLLARS

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of both North American Specialty Insurance Company and Washington International Insurance Company at meetings duly called and held on the 9<sup>th</sup> of May, 2012:

"RESOLVED, that any two of the Presidents, any Managing Director, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary be, and each or any of them hereby is authorized to execute a Power of Attorney qualifying the attorney named in the given Power of Attorney to execute on behalf of the Company bonds, undertakings and all contracts of surety, and that each or any of them hereby is authorized to attest to the execution of any such Power of Attorney and to attach therein the seal of the Company; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the signature of such officers and the seal of the Company may be affixed to any such Power of Attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be binding upon the Company when so affixed and in the future with regard to any bond, undertaking or contract of surety to which it is attached."



By [Signature]  
Steven P. Anderson, Senior Vice President of Washington International Insurance Company  
& Senior Vice President of North American Specialty Insurance Company

By [Signature]  
David M. Layman, Vice President of Washington International Insurance Company  
& Vice President of North American Specialty Insurance Company



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, North American Specialty Insurance Company and Washington International Insurance Company have caused their official seals to be hereunto affixed, and these presents to be signed by their authorized officers this 25th day of May, 2012.

North American Specialty Insurance Company  
Washington International Insurance Company

State of Illinois ss:  
County of Cook

On this 25th day of May, 2012, before me, a Notary Public personally appeared Steven P. Anderson, Senior Vice President of Washington International Insurance Company and Senior Vice President of North American Specialty Insurance Company and David M. Layman, Vice President of Washington International Insurance Company and Vice President of North American Specialty Insurance Company, personally known to me, who being by me duly sworn, acknowledged that they signed the above Power of Attorney as officers of and acknowledged said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of their respective companies.



[Signature]  
Donna D. Sklens, Notary Public

I, Jeffrey Goldberg, the duly elected Assistant Secretary of North American Specialty Insurance Company and Washington International Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Power of Attorney given by said North American Specialty Insurance Company and Washington International Insurance Company, which is still in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and affixed the seals of the Companies this 20th day of August, 2014.

[Signature]  
Jeffrey Goldberg, Vice President & Assistant Secretary of Washington International Insurance Company &  
Assistant Secretary of North American Specialty Insurance Company